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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the districts covered under "Beti Bachao Beti Padhao" Scheme so far across the country, State/UT-wise and district-wise;

(b) whether the Government is considering to extend the scheme to more districts in the country;
(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the details of amount allocated/utilised for the said scheme till date, State/UT-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a) to (c): "Beti Bachao Beti Padhao" (BBBP) scheme was launched on 22nd January, 2015 to address the declining Child Sex Ratio (CSR) and related issues of disempowerment of women over a life cycle continuum in select 100 districts (low on CSR). Keeping in view the criticality of the issue, BBBP Scheme has been expanded to 61 more districts covering 11 States/UTs.

(d) The details of funds released by Ministry of W.C.D. to States/UTs under BBBP Scheme during 2014-2015 and 2015-16 are at Annexure.